

## Request for Council Action

Originator Finance	Item <b>Diseased Tree Removal for Districts #4 – Approve Award of Contract</b>
Agenda Section Consent Business	Date 7/27/2015
Description	

On June 1, 2015, Council approved the contract award for Diseased Tree Removal services in District #4 to Golden Leaf Tree Service in the amount of \$35,795.00. After the award by Council and prior to the contract being executed, staff received communication from the owner of Golden Leaf Tree Service that the bid was not submitted and/or signed by an authorized signatory of Golden Leaf Tree Service. The Legal Department has determined that the bid from Golden Leaf Tree Service is not valid and per the Bid Specifications the contract for Diseased Tree Removal services in District #4 should be awarded to the next lowest responsible bidder, North Star Tree Care, Inc., in the amount of \$36,995.00. The difference between the two bids is \$1,200. Below is the original bid tabulation:

	North Star Tree Care, Inc.	A Tree Service, Inc	YTS Companies, LLC	Golden Leaf Tree Service
<b>District 1</b>	\$ 115,270.00	\$ -	\$ 126,140.00	\$ -
<b>District 2</b>	\$ 80,805.00	\$ -	\$ 86,550.00	\$ -
<b>District 4</b>	\$ 36,995.00	\$ 54,246.20	\$ 40,230.00	\$ 35,795.00

Funding for these contracts is available in the 2015 Solid Waste Management Budget Account 665564-53110.

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### Requested Action

Reject the previously awarded contract to Golden Leaf Tree Service for Diseased Tree Removal in District #4.

Award a contract to North Star Tree Care, Inc. for Diseased Tree Removal in District #4 in the amount of \$36,995.00.

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### Attachments: